

LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. Herbert Wilson of Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask., visited in Carleton a few days last week with his brother, Harley Wilson.

Mrs. Elliott received word on Saturday of the death of her brother-in-law, George Brooks, in Calgary, and left to attend the funeral, which was held Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Oliphant and family spent Sunday and Monday in town visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Oliphant.

Tom Johnson Jr. has secured work in Vancouver, according to word received by his family last week.

Bob Poole, who left Carleton a few weeks ago, has secured work near Nanaimo, B.C. in a logging camp.

Mr. Isador Gutman was a Calgary visitor over the week end.

John and Elizabeth Colvin, and C. Taylor, of Drumheller, were Carleton residents last Sunday.

Babe Fulton, Kate Mathers, Jimmy Hunt and Joe Silver took in a drive at East Coulee on Tuesday night.

"And how do you think the pictures in our seed catalogue might be made more realistic?"
"By placing some weeds around the flowers and vegetables."

"Hello," called a feminine voice over the telephone, "is this the Home Society?"
"Yes," replied the official in charge.
"Well, there is a book agent sitting out in a tree looking my dog."

TOURISTS TURN BACK AT U. S. BOUNDARY

Though the tourist season has hardly begun, reports from the south say that tourists are already turning back on account of the condition of Alberta roads.

People who have been driving over fine highways in the United States back at the rough or dusty roads in Alberta. And small wonder. They admit their desire to see Alberta's rare beauty spots but they fear that road grit will mar any enjoyment they might otherwise have on their trip. It has been estimated that Alberta roads have kept as much as \$10,000,000 a year from tourists out of the pockets of Alberta farmers. This business is available, but unfortunately it has gone past the door and much of it may never return, not at least before the province has hard surfaced highways.

"Farmers could get from tourists as much as they get from their wheat if this province had hard surfaced highways and got a fair share of the tourists who come to Canada each year," says an official of the Alberta Motor Association.

The motor tourist wants to travel on hard surfaced roads but he pays for them himself and at the same time he is the farmer's income booster.

GIRLS W.A. SELECT A WELL-KNOWN PLAY FOR JULY PRODUCTION

Members of Cast Now Practising Diligently for Comedy-Drama

Following the tremendous success of last year's production "The Eyes of Love," the Carleton Girls W.A. will again present a three-act comedy early in July. This year's play, "The Incubator Husband," by Wall Spence, although a play in a much lighter vein, is much more advanced and difficult. However, with the experience gained by many of the cast last year and a great deal of work, the play should even surpass the former triumph.

The four leading characters this year are being played by Miss Rose-lee Reed, Miss Vera Atkinson, Mr. Geo. Ives and Mr. Norman Nash. These four persons in their rehearsals so far show considerable promise and ought to be the making of one of the best performances in the district for many years. Miss Joyce Laine and Mr. Bill Thorburn carry heavy character roles, while Miss Norma Williamson, Miss Margaret Casper, Miss Myrtle Oliphant, Miss Ruth Enns and Mr. Charlie Smith make up the remainder of a very large cast.

Mrs. R.M. McNaughton is again in charge of the production while Mr. George F. Casper has been secured as director for the play.

The date of the performance will be announced at an early date in the columns of this newspaper.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE

(Petrolia Advertiser-Topic)

With the summer season approaching church attendance is bound to decrease, says editor "Gus" Dobble of the Smiths Falls Record-News. The thought inspired him to make the following unusual reference:
This is the way the church sometimes looks to the pastor when he goes into the pulpit.
The motor would just as soon preach to woodpile as to empty benches. There is no inspiration in vacant pews.

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VACATION NEEDS SALE CIRCULARS

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SPORTS

Last Tuesday the Carbon baseball played East Coulee at the latter town and won 12-4.

Wednesday, June 9, Carbon boys played at Trechu and lost by a 12-8 score.

At Carbon on Sunday in a league game, Torrington handed the locals a 14-2 setback. Errors on the part of the Carbon boys resulted in the one-sided score.

Batteries in this game were: Carbon—Tresanier and Mathers. Torrington—Sheline and Kary.

"HESKETH SPARKLES"

There being no reason why Grand Forks could not have come to Hesketh on Sunday to play the league softball game, Hesketh won the games by default.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left Hesketh on Monday for the north country. We wish them luck in their new enterprise.

There will be two league softball games at Hesketh next Sunday, June 20. Hesketh plays Carbon. We hope to see a crowd of fans here.

The dance last Friday was postponed on account of the ball storm and we hope it will be next Friday. The floor of the hall has been varnished and covered and is now in good shape for dancing.

A ball storm visited the district on Friday and took out two houses and a number of crops. The moisture was welcome.

Mr. Sanderson, the proprietor, is now running the Hesketh store and not office.

Joe Fuller is renewing acquaintance in the district and is staying with Geo. Appleyard.

"KNOW THYSELF"

(By Rev. W.H. McDannold)

Today our study in self-knowledge has to do with the inflated ego. The technical psychological word for this mental disease is *microsomia*. It is a development of two anti social traits, egotism and a contentedness. The case I take of this is a man who is a mental abnormality in two stages. At first this person who was studying medicine was feverishly ambitious. Later feeling he was not appreciated he developed the conviction he was wronged and took up law so that he could defend himself. This is a case in point of the extrovert sort.

The characteristics of the *microsomia* can be fairly accurately tabulated: 1. An egotism unaccompanied by achievement; 2. an unwillingness to put any blame on oneself; 3. an attitude of contentedness; 4. a tendency towards anti social behavior. It is possible for such cases to be "domesticated," opinionated, a tale-bearer, filled always with dark suspicions. And yet he goes about carrying an air of deep religious piety. He must be the "whole-show." Fearing he may be drowned he blusters and threatens. But he himself is never in the wrong. If things go badly, if he is heartily hated, he places the blame on some one else . . . or upon the general goodness of mankind. He is a deeply wronged man. He can be most fearful. Emil Ludwig makes a most interesting remark concerning Wm. Hohenzollern, the Kaiser of the war days: "Never," wrote Ludwig, "did I see a conviction of a single error come to this man."

In ordinary life *microsomia* is recognized in fairly obvious types of reaction and practice of living. Here is the fault-finding husband, possibly a mental case, and does he know it? Have you ever met the semi-invalid wife who is everlastingly craving for sympathy? I know some other types, the person who whines that no one ever understands him, the over-sensitive person, the self-excruser. One of the most interesting types to study is the martyr type. They really believe that they would have others believe in persecution. If one is martyred then one cannot be blamed for fault. One crosses and burning have gone out of fashion and so the martyrdom, self-imposed, turns out to be fairly unobtainable. It becomes an escape from reality.

FINE RAIN BRINGS HOPE OF GOOD CROPS THIS FALL

The weather has finally cleared off and hot weather is here, causing crop to grow rapidly. We need warm weather, following the million dollar rain of last week. For two days showers of varying intensity fell over all parts of the district and it has been estimated that at least two inches of moisture fell during the wet spell.

While later on warm, crops are now making rapid growth and the wind damaged fields are, in most instances, regaining their color and will produce a crop this fall if conditions are favorable.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT TO SURVEY OIL FIELDS

Seeking possible extensions of the rich oil and gas resources which are being worked in Turner Valley, seven survey parties will set out to work in Alberta this summer under the auspices of the Department of Mines and Resources of the Dominion government, according to word from Ottawa recently.

Three of the parties will work on topographical mapping and four on geological mapping.

Included in the fields to be mapped this summer is the Pallantimber area between the Bow and the Red Deer Rivers, 70 miles northeast of Calgary; the department and the work will be done under the direction of R. B. McKee. In this area, states a report, "some of the rock strata are regarded as distinctly promising."

Two colored men were seen, before the judge in court for speeding in their ramshackle auto.

"Have you a lawyer?" asked the judge.

"Naw, nah," replied the spokesman. "We have decided to tell the truth."

Race horses, we read, don't eat for several hours before a race. And the people who back them don't eat for long time afterwards.

COMPLETE LIST OF EVENTS TO BE RUN OFF AT CARBON STAMPEDE ON TUE. JUNE 29

Local Merchants Donate Prizes For Monster Parade

Practically all arrangements have now been completed for the carrying out of one of the best programmes of sport ever to be witnessed at the Carbon Stampede. This year the Stampede will be held on Tuesday, June 29th and will commence in the morning at 10:30 o'clock with a monster parade, for which prizes will be awarded as follows:

Best decorated auto, prize donated by Gordon Motors; Best decorated bicycle, prize donated by A. P. McKibbin; Best dressed Cow Girl, prize donated by J. Chas. Yule; Best dressed Cowboy, prize donated by the Carbon Trading Company; Best Comedienne, prize donated by The Farmers' Exchange; Best Dancer by a local amateur, prize donated by C. H. Nash.

The following stampede events will be run off commencing at 1:00 p.m.:

Break riding with saddle horse, best horse, winner after three rounds, and one mile self-mountain, prize money \$25.00 each, donated by Geo. Ives and Mr. Nash. Also, chuck wagon race. The best chuck wagon horse in the stampee, a chuck wagon race, prize money \$10.00 donated by the Carbon Hotel.

Tenously running horse and calf, best calf, prize money \$25.00 each, and an auto race, monster dance will be held in the hall.

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PersonalographsGus Gleck has returned to Carbon
after spending the past few months in
Turner Valley.W. A. Bradsher received word last
week that Carbon players were eligible
to compete for the Alberta Lawn Ten-
nis Association shield, now held by
the Olds club.The sermon topic at the Carbon
United Church on Sunday, June 20th
will be "The Charge of the Light Bri-
gade."Walter Goudie returned home from
a Calgary Hospital last Thursday.Mrs. Harley Davidson attended the
funeral of the late Mrs. McGregor in
Calgary on Monday.The Lady Roberts Chapter I.O.O.F.
members enjoyed a picnic in the vic-
inity of Drumheller on Wednesday
afternoon.Miss Molly Malton of Calgary was
a Carbon visitor on Monday at the
home of her aunt, Mrs. H.C. Willson.Mrs. Alexandra left on Sunday to
visit with relatives in Didsbury.Ted Gutterud of Turner Valley was
a Carbon visitor on Sunday.Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Willson and fa-
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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hay motored to
Drumheller on Saturday last.A number of Carbon Masons at-
tended a meeting at Irficana on Tues-
day evening.Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliphant spent
Sunday visiting at Drumheller and
East Coulee.

AN IMPROPER METHOD

(The Hanna Herald)

Blanket debt legislation is ill-advis-
ed, unfair and harmful. Alberta people
need expect no permanent advantage
from such laws. On the contrary they
will do irreparable harm.Most people are honest. The great
majority of debtors want to pay. Al-
berta people are not the chiselers and
defaulters that they now appear to be
before the eyes of Canada and of the
world.There are a considerable number of
Alberta farmers, however, who simply
cannot meet their mortgage obliga-
tions. Bad crops and low prices over
half a dozen years have robbed them
of their earning power. These people
must have special consideration.The way Manitoba and Saskatche-
wan tackled the problem of farm mort-
gage indebtedness was reasonable and
sensible. First they got the interest
rate cut to six per cent, which is
where it should be. Then they arranged
with the lending institutions for
adjustments in instances where ar-
rears of interest had accumulated.
This erased the debtor's name from
the role of those in arrears and gave
him a fresh start and a new encour-
agement.In Saskatchewan alone fifteen mil-
lion dollars were written off mortgage
indebtedness through commonsense
co-operation, and a comparative
amount was relieved from debtor's
backs in Manitoba.In Alberta today no debtor knows
for sure whether he has been relieved
of a cent of accumulated indebtedness.
Blanket debt legislation has been a
curse rather than a blessing.A man who can pay should pay. A
man who can't pay should be aided.
Blanket debt legislation does not work
that way. A plan of compromise and
adjustment does work that way.Alberta is not completely down and
out—sunk for all time. This province
can and will come back. The time will
come when our farmers will again re-
quire credit. That is something our
people should never forget.So let us handle the present prob-
lem of debts in a reasonable, sensible
and decent manner. Let us, follow
sound British tradition and example.
Let us forget this South American
idea of default and blanket debt leg-
islation. Such a move is a step in pro-
gressive human degeneration.Thrifty Citizens
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